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Title: HIGH UNSAPONIFIABLES AND
METHODS OF USING THE SAME

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Commissioner:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97-1.98, the reference listed and identified on the attached PTO/SB/08-based form is being submitted for consideration by the Examiner. Additionally, a copy of the English and Japanese translation of the listed publication is provided.

This Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(f) after the mailing of the final office action and before the payment of the issue fee, along with the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p). In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(f), Applicants submit that a *bona fide* attempt was made to comply with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, but part of the required content was inadvertently omitted. Applicants respectfully request that additional time be given for the consideration of this IDS to enable full compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98.

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would render the same obvious, either singly or in combination, to a person of ordinary skill in the art. Furthermore the filing of this IDS should not be construed to be an admission that the information cited in this IDS is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56(b). In addition, the filing of this IDS should not be construed as a representation that a search has been made.

If there are any questions concerning this IDS, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned.

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